

Table 2.6 Foreign-Born Population by World Region of Birth, Citizenship and Year of Entry: March 2002
(Numbers in thousands. 1/ 2/)

WORLD REGION OF BIRTH BY CITIZENSHIP STATUS	Total		YEAR OF ENTRY							
			1990 or later		1980-1989		1970-1979		Before 1970	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total										
Total	32,453	100.0	15,781	100.0	7,960	100.0	4,605	100.0	4,107	100.0
Naturalized Citizen	11,962	36.9	2,002	12.7	3,584	45.0	3,069	66.6	3,307	80.5
Not a Citizen	20,491	63.1	13,779	87.3	4,376	55.0	1,536	33.4	799	19.5
Europe										
Total	4,548	100.0	1,757	100.0	606	100.0	594	100.0	1,590	100.0
Naturalized Citizen	2,426	53.3	347	19.7	314	51.8	420	70.7	1,345	84.6
Not a Citizen	2,122	46.7	1,410	80.3	292	48.2	174	29.3	245	15.4
Asia										
Total	8,281	100.0	4,010	100.0	2,368	100.0	1,330	100.0	573	100.0
Naturalized Citizen	3,983	48.1	788	19.7	1,542	65.1	1,132	85.1	520	90.7
Not a Citizen	4,299	51.9	3,222	80.3	825	34.9	198	14.9	53	9.3
Latin America										
Total	16,943	100.0	8,636	100.0	4,459	100.0	2,375	100.0	1,473	100.0
Naturalized Citizen	4,590	27.1	689	8.0	1,484	33.3	1,319	55.5	1,098	74.6
Not a Citizen	12,353	72.9	7,947	92.0	2,975	66.7	1,056	44.5	375	25.4
Other Areas										
Total	2,680	100.0	1,378	100.0	527	100.0	305	100.0	469	100.0
Naturalized Citizen	963	35.9	178	12.9	244	46.2	198	65.0	344	73.2
Not a Citizen	1,717	64.1	1,201	87.1	283	53.8	107	35.0	126	26.8

1/ The majority of those born in Latin America are from Mexico. Those born in Other Areas are from Africa, Oceania, Bermuda and Canada.

2/ The category '1990 or later' includes 1990-2002.

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